## **Community Access**

## **Module Outline**

Module 1: Start Using the Computer

**Computer Skills**: using the mouse (click, double click, drag and drop, position), opening programs with icons, using the start menu, managing windows, shutting down

Access: where to find computers to use in the community

Module 2: Communication

**Computer Skills**: opening and closing programs, logging in and out, using email (new messages, opening mail, sending mail)

**Access:** communication, access to networking, family and friends, many on-line activities require a valid email address

Module 3: Internet Basics

**Computer Skills**: open Internet Explorer, find web pages with known addresses, identify and navigate links from page to page, complete some basic searching

**Access**: finding services, shopping, employment, information; all of these require access to on –line materials

Module 4: Accessing Social Services

**Computer Skills**: using Internet Explorer, find web pages with known addresses identify and navigate links from page to page, complete some basic searching, on line applications

Access: finding services, internet browsing

Module 5: Finding Employment

Computer Skills: word basics, email, attachments, web searching

Access: information on jobs, electronic communication

Module 6: Health Services

Computer Skills: on-line applications, maps and directions, internet

browsing

**Access:** information on local health services and state health plans

Module 7: Maps and Metro

Computer Skills: online forms, navigations, browsing

Access: maps and directions, locating businesses and services

Module 8: On-line Applications

Computer Skills: on-line applications, tabbing between fields, attaching

documents

Access: Many programs require that you apply on line and many jobs as

well.

Module 9: Access to Education

Computer Skills: on-line applications, tabbing between fields, web

browsing

Access: Classes, degree programs, community college

Module 10: Cultural Events and Recreation

Computer Skills: web browsing

Access: Free programs, listings and databases